WO GERMAN CRUISERS ARE REPORTED SUNK IN NORTH SEA

the German cruisers withdrew the British vessels were seeding toward them from the east, north and south.

Extensive property damage was done by the German hells. The ruins of the celebrated abbey of St. Hilda on the call at Whitby and the ancient church close by were damaged as were three churches in Scarborough.

The raid of the German cruisers on the English coast was the most daring accomplishment of the war. Kiel, the man naval base, is 310 miles due east of the points bomarded. The German vessels probably came from behind e Heligoland fortifications and mine fields soon after dusk sterday and steamed straight across the North Sea, dodging mine fields and British cruiser and destroyer patrols.

It is said that just such an attack as that made to-day has been anticipated and that preparations had been made to meet it.

Thousands of troops are in trenches along the east coast and extensive preparations for attack have been made in all coast defence works.

FOUR DESTROYERS ATTACK GERMANS.

The Newcastle Evening Chronicle credits an eye witness of the bombardment of Hartlepool with the statement that he saw three German cruisers firing on the city and that the Germans were attacked by four British destroyers. Conflicting statements from Scarborough place the number of cruisers that engaged in the bombardment there at from

The German attack was aided by a thick haze along the coast of the North Sea. People at Redcar and Whitby who saw the gunfire flashes through the fog state that three cruisers were engaged.

A seaplane patrol has been organized along the east coast b keep a lookout for German vessels of war. Whether the dment of the four towns was an Independent action part of a general plan of invasion put into operation by Germans is shrouded in the strict censorship of all means of communication.

Scarborough and Hartlepool were bombarded simulaneously between 8 and 9 o'clock. Whitby was bombarded ater. Whitby is seventeen miles north of Scarborough and twenty-five miles south of Hartlepool, and it is thought but perhaps two of the ships which bombarded the latter port steamed north along the coast and opened fire on

THREE CHURCHES SET ON FIRE.

Three churches in Scarborough were set on fire by Gershells. Pactories with tall chimneys furnished targets the German gunners at Hartlepool.

The bombardment of Hartlepool, which is a thickly settled inity, appears to have been indiscriminate. Pieces ing." shell have been found in all parts of the town.

None of the four places bombarded had any warning. The wildest panic ensued when shells began to fall and exeds among the homes of the astounded people. There was ncerted rush away from the seacoast in which hundreds

In Scarborough, where the bombardment began at 7.55 and only in their night garments.

deck, many were still in bed and fled from their homes of the guns of the squadron could be seen through the early morning haze to the start for Hull. Although the Germans made a the railroad station and demolished two of the the start for Hull, the engineer of the train, with shells the covered much of that 310 miles during the night, in itself a remark-law to the start for hull. The country special to start for Hull the engineer of the train, with shells the covered much of that 310 miles during the night, in itself a remark-law to start for separation in the Kings country for separation in the Ki ms with shells, the engineer of the train, with shells ting all around his locomotive, waited until the schedule before starting his train.

made up and run to Hull with people of Scarborough. MEST SHOTS CAUSED NO ALARM

The refugees from Scarborough on reaching Hull deand that when they first heard the firing off shore they ght it was simply British battleships practising. No secution was paid to the cannonade.

Then a house was struck by a shell and crumpled into beas of ruins. A few moments later the Balmoral Hotel struck and immediately took fire.

Communion service was being celebrated in St. Martin's Greek population of the city, killed ch when two shells struck the building. The congrega-Hon remained calm.

Shells began to arrive close together by this time. Other se and buildings were struck and burst into flames.

The first German shells feeling for the range landed the section of town close to the shore. The three churches which were struck stood out as targets by which the German pers evidently directed their fire, and all were struck early in the bombardment.

As the train pulled out the refugees saw the streets fly choked with other residents of the town, endeavoring seach open country, beyond the range of the German as. Every sort of conveyance had been commandeered in the anxiety of the terror stricken people to escape.

When the train left Scarborough the refugees said part of the town was enveloped in smoke.

While waiting at the station at Scarborough for the moent for starting his train the engineer sent a telegram to

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25,000 BELGIANS KILLED AND 52,000 WOUNDED. SAYS BERLIN WIRELESS.

BERLIN, Dec. 16 (by wireless, vis Sayville, N. T.) .- The official press bureau, in its budget given out to-day,

"The newspaper Figare of Paris re-ports that the Belgian troops are suf-fering from typhoid, dysentery and cholera. Their casualities since the commencement of the war have been 25,000 killed, \$2,000 wounded, \$5,000 captured and now prisoners in Germany, and \$2,000 interned in Holland.

"Major Moraht in the Tageblatt points cholers. Their casualties since the

"Major Moraht in the Tageblatt points out that the Austrians offeneive in West Gulleia proves that harmony of action prevails between the Austrians and Germans. The Austrian successes between Cracow and Nowy Sandeo, he says, has a highly important strategic bearing, not only diverting the Russian left wing but endangering it if it does not retire.

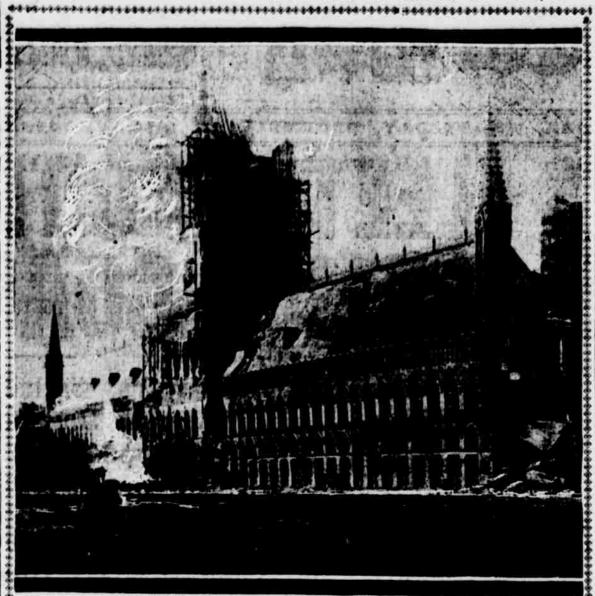
The total number of unwounded Russian prisoners including efficers, is now 475,556."

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BURNING OF THE FAMOUS CLOTH HALL IN YPRES



THE ANCIENT CLOTH HALL OF YPRES IN FLAMES FROM GERMAN ARTILLERY FIRE

his wife in Hull. He announced that shells were falling all SUING TEACHER-MOTHER about him, but he was all right.

The only information given out by the Admiralty is a confirmation of the news of the bombardment, the announcement that British warships have engaged the German Mrs. Ford, Who Forged to Get cruisers and that the situation in the North Sea is "develop-The text of the Admiralty communication follows:

"German movements of some importance are taking place this morning in the North Sea. Scarborough and Hartlepool have been shelled and our flotillas have at various points been engaged. The situation is developing.'

RAIDERS CREPT THROUGH HAZE.

The sun rose over England this morning at 8.01 o'clock. The German

able feat, although the nights are long in this climate at this time of year.

To get from Kiel to the English coast in darkness and avoid the patrol feet and mine fields the German vessels must have steamed at top speed The coaches were jammed with refugees. Other trains with all lights out. Apparently they were timed to arrive on the English coast at suprise, and they made their appearance according to schedule. The bombardment at Scarborough began six minutes before the sun ap peared over the horizon.

MINES EXPLODED

20 FEET FROM BOW

(Continued from First Page.)

BERLIN AGAIN SLIGHTS

AUSTRIA, REFERRING

TURKS SLAY GREEKS PILLAGE THEIR HOMES AND ATTACK WOMEN.

ATHENS, Dec. 16 (United Press) Turkish troops at Alvali, Asia Minor in an outbreak directed against the four persons.

The houses of Greeks were entered

and pillaged and stores wrecked and burned. Many women and girls were

Aivall is on the Gulf of Adamyti in Asia Minor, twenty-eight miles southwest of the town of Adamyti.

GERMAN TROOPS GIVE UP GOLD POCKET PIECES AND PEASANTS THEIR GOLD.

BERNE, Dec. 15 (via Paris) (Associated Press).—The increase in the Imperial Bank of Germany's gold stock from 1,253,060,000 marks (\$718, 250,000) since the beginning of the war to 1,991,000,000 marks (\$497,750,000) shown in the last report of the bank is explained in German newspapers as being due to repressive measures of the Government against trading sin gold as a commodity at a premium, and by the continuous urging of the peasants to give up their gold hoards in exchange for notes.

German soldiers also are said to have given up their gold pocket money.

200,000 RUSSIAN TROOPS

RUSHED TO FRONT TO HELP GUARD WARSAW. Russian Poland, Dec. 16.

BERLIN AGAIN SLIGHTS

WARSAW, Russian Poland, Dec. 16, via London (Associated Press).—Further

GETS \$9 WEEK ALIMON

Food After Losing Job, Asks Separation.

years old, of No. 320 Classon Avenue, Brooklyn, the teacher-mother who was forced out of her position by the Board of Education when her child was born, and who forged checks to get money for food, to-day brought suit for separation in the Kings

wed her \$9 a week and counsel fees

WILSON STILL BACKS LYNN.

Holds Recess Appointment Reject-

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—President araguan canal route ar wilson will stand behind his appointment of John D. Lynn of Rochester as United States Attorney for the Western District of New York despite the fact District of New York despite the fact that his nomination was rejected by the Senate at the instance of Senator O'Gorman. White House officials take the position that Mr. Lynn's recess appointment will hold good until March 4, and point to court decisions to uphold that view. Some Senators, however, are said to differ from that position.

There are other instances of the President having nominated men not recommended by Senators, and official circles expect to see an issue made of the question. OF TRANSYLVANIA

International Typesetting Machine

In the Federal District Court to-day Judge Hough named Erskine Hewitt of No. 50 Church Street receiver for the

No. 50 Church Street receiver for the International Typesetting Machine Company. No. 63 Park Row, with a bond of \$50,000.

This action was taken in a suit filed by the International Banking Corporation and the Central Trust and Savings Company, whose total claims foot up \$61,456.25.

The International Typesetting Machine Company is the maker of the "Intertype" machine. It has an authorized capital of \$4,000,000, and has issued \$1,000,000 preferred stock and \$2,977,300 common stock.

Two Get 20-Year Sentences. Frank Grabowski, a weaver, twenty-six years old, beat George W. Rogers to death with a hammer in a roo nouse, Nov. 5 last, and escaped to Sus-juchanna, Pa., where he was captured quehanna, Pa., where he was captured, with \$40 of Rogers's money in his pocket. Orabowski, indicted for murder in the first degree, pleaded guilty in the second degree in the Court of General Sessions this afternoon. Judge Nott sentenced him to not less than twenty years. Timothy McNally, who shot Margaret O'Conner to death Sept. 28 and tried to shoot himself, made a like plea and received a like sentence.

Lawyer Admits Porgery and Will Be Disbarred. William Ehrlich, a lawyer, of No. 223 East Seventy-ninth Street, to-day TO SERVIAN VICTORY.

BERLIN. via Wireless to Sayville.
L. 1. Dec. 16.—"Predictions that the Servians' powers of resistence have been broken have been shown false by Vienna's report that strong forces southeast of Valleyo have campalled consent to his disbarment.

STEAMSHIPS DUE TO-DAY.

Galifornia, Belbee 9 A. M.
Algonquia, Turka Islo 10 A.M.
Massepequa, Rotterdam 11 A.M.
Tourna, Haven 11 A.M.

BRITISH WARSHIPS BOMBARD GERMANS HOLDING WESTENDE

Shell Extreme Western End of Kaiser's Line-French in Alsace Attack Along Fifty-Mile Front

PARIS, Dec. 16 .- A severe bombardment of Westende by British warships seeking to drive back its German occupants was reported in to-day's ficial communique. The statement says:

In Belgium the town of Westende, to the northeast of Lombaertsyde, has been violently bombarded by the British fleet.

The Belgian army has repulsed a counter-attack on St.

Georges and occupied the farms on the left bank of the Yser. Our troops, who already had gained ground in the direction of Klein Zillebeke, also made progress, but not so perceptible, in

the region of St. Eloi. In the region of Arras, in the region of the Alsne and in Champagne there have been artillery engagements, in the course of which we gained distinct advantage at various points.

In the Argonne there is nothing to report. In the Woevre district we have repulsed several German attacks in the forest of Mortmare, and we have retained all the trenches occupied by us on December 13.

BERLIN (via wireless to London), Dec. 16 (Associated Press).-The German official communication issued by the General Army Headquarters

"In the western theatre the enemy made a new attempt to advance by way of Nieuport, supported by an action of the ships at sea. The fire from these ships was entirely without effect. The attack was repulsed and 450 French were taken prisoners.

"On the remainder of the front the capture of a height to the west of Bennheim, occupied by the enemy since the day before yesterday, is the only matter worth mentioning.

From the East Prussian frontier there is no news. "In Northern Poland our attacking movements are progressing normalfy. Several strong positions of the enemy have been taken and about 8,000 prisoners and four machine guns were taken.

"In Southern Poland our troops, fighting in unison with our allies, are gaining ground."

AID FOR "LITTLE MOTHERS." France, called on President Wilson to-day and discussed plans for estab-

Contributions Sought for Christm Festival.

"The Little Mothers" Aid Associate

feetival in Murray Hill Lyceum, Thirty-fourth Street near Third Avenue, at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon, Dec. Mrs. Mary Ford, twenty-sight 26. Hundreds of "little mothers" are 26. Hundreds of "little mothers" are looking forward to the coming of Santa Claus and efforts are being made to secure enough contributions to meet the unusual demands of this year.

The association maintains day nurseries and kindergartens at No. 236 Second Avenue, No. 56 Greenwich Street, No. 798 Tenth Avenue and No. 84 Morton Street, Brooklyn. Mrs. Clarence Burns, President, has issued a request for contributions to be made to the Treasurer, F. F. Hazard, Union Dime Savings Bank, Sixth Avenue and Portleth Street.

FAVOR NICARAGUAN TREATY. Senate Committee After Months of

Deliberation Orders Report. WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.—After nonths of deliberation and repeated failure to get action the Foreign Re-

Herrick Confers With Wilson. WASHINGTON, Dec. 16 .- Myron T. Herrick, former Ambassador to



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O'HARA,-On Dec. 14, 1914, KATE O'HARA (nee Hewson), wife of M. J. O'Hara end mother of Mary, George, John, Michael and Edgar O'Hara.

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pariers, 195 Bleecker st., on Thursday.

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